

**PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION**

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RELATIONS COMMISSION**REPRESENTATION PETITION**☐ Amended Petition in Case # _____

Applicable Rules: Chapters 10-08, 391-08 and 391-25 WAC

PARTIES Include information for all parties involved.**EMPLOYER** Secretary of StateContact Diana TownsendAddress PO Box 40220City, State, ZIP Olympia, WA 98504-0220Telephone 360-704-5202 Ext. _____Email Diana.Townsend@sos.wa.gov**PETITIONER** Wash. Federation of State EmployeesContact Herb HarrisAddress 1212 Jefferson St. SE Ste. 300City, State, ZIP Olympia, WA 98501-2332Telephone 360-352-7603 Ext. _____Email herbh@wfse.org**CURRENT BARGAINING REPRESENTATIVE**

(If one exists) _____

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TYPE OF REQUEST Select One. The petitioner requests:

- ☒ **RECOGNITION** to be certified as the representative of employees currently unrepresented.
- ☐ **CHANGE OF REPRESENTATIVE** to be certified as the representative of employees currently represented by another organization.
- ☐ **DECERTIFICATION** to no longer be represented by the current organization.
- ☐ **INCLUSION OF UNREPRESENTED EMPLOYEES** to have a group of employees added to an existing bargaining unit as described in WAC 391-25-440.
- ☐ **EMPLOYER PETITION** a determination by the commission according to WAC 391-25-090.

BARGAINING UNIT

Description of Bargaining Unit: Indicate inclusions / exclusions
All non-supervisory civil service employees covered by RCW 41.06 and RCW 41.80 of the Secretary of State Office in the Elections Division and the Library and Archival Professionals 1, 2, 3 4 and the Graphic Designer Senior in the Library Division. Excluding all confidential employees, WMS employees and all other employees. +

Department or Division Elections and Library**Number of Employees in Unit** 28**Collective Bargaining Agreement**

If one exists, the bargaining unit's most recent collective bargaining agreement must be filed with this petition.

Contract Expiration Date: 6/30/2015 - PERC #007-06/2015**OTHER RELEVANT FACTS**☐ Additional information relating to the proposed bargaining unit is attached.**SHOWING OF INTEREST**

The petition must be filed with a showing of interest indicating support of at least 30% of the employees in the bargaining unit.
The showing of interest cards are confidential and are **ONLY** filed with PERC.

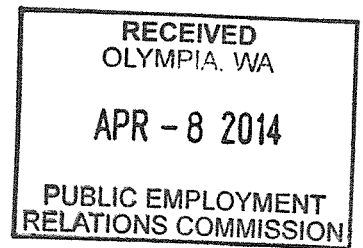
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE FOR PETITIONER**Print Name** Herb HarrisTelephone Same as above

Ext. _____

Title PERC SpecialistEmail Same as aboveAddress Same as above

City, State, ZIP _____

Signature Date 4/8/14



Certificate of Service

Office of the Secretary of State

As per PERC Commission requirements and WAC 391-08-120(4), I, Herb Harris do certify that the following facts regarding servicing of the Representation Petition is true.

On April 8, 2014, I deposited in the United State mail, properly stamped and addressed a copy of the petition to Glen Christopherson, OFM/LRD and Diana Townsend HR/SOS. To the best of my knowledge and belief these are the representatives of the other parties that should be notified to fulfill our obligations under WAC 391-08-120(4).

Signed on April 8, 2014

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Herb Harris", with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Herb Harris

PERC Specialist

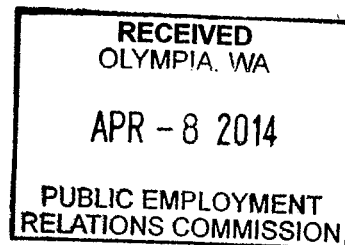


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April 8, 2014

Michael Sellars, Executive Director
Public Employment Relations Director
PO Box 40919
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Dear Mr. Sellars:

We are hereby filing a request to be certified as the exclusive bargaining representative for certain non-supervisory civil service employees at the Office of the Secretary of State. Our petition would include employees in the Elections Division and the Library and Archival Professionals 1,2,3,4 and the Graphic Designer Senior in the Library Division.

Our records show that we have signed authorization cards from a majority of the employees in this unit and ask that a cross check of employment records is conducted.

Thank you for your attention to our request. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Herb Harris
PERC Specialist